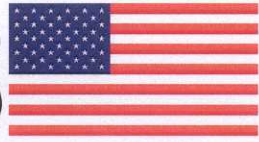


# V2008



## DON'T BE FOOLED!! KNOW THE TRUTH ABOUT THE DV!

### Here's what the U.S. EMBASSY Wants You to Know:

- **APPLYING:** You can **ONLY** enter using the Internet address below. If it is discovered you have entered more than once, your application will be automatically disqualified. **Only enter ONCE!**
- **ENTRY/PHOTOGRAPHS:** You and **ONLY YOU** are responsible for your entry. If the photograph in your entry is incorrect, your entry will be disqualified. **Check your entry and photo carefully before you sent your application!**
- **SELECTION:** Receiving a "Congratulation" letter does not guarantee a visa interview. You must receive by mail an appointment letter from, and **ONLY** from, the USG for a visa interview. **Do not make travel plans until the process is completed!**
- **FEES:** There is NO FEE to enter the DV Lottery. You do not need an agent or an attorney to complete your entry or application for you. Winners pay fees **ONLY** to the U.S. Embassy when a case is being processed. **Do not pay fees to anyone but the U.S. Embassy!**
- **SPONSOR:** You do **NOT** need a U.S. sponsor – or any sponsor – to qualify for the DV!
- **MARRIAGE:** You do **NOT** need to be married to qualify for a DV. **DO NOT** engage in a fraudulent marriage for any reason! **Falsely claiming a marriage relationship will cause you to be ineligible to travel to the U.S. for the rest of your life!**
- **FAMILY:** You **MUST** include your spouse and **ALL** unmarried children who are under the age of 21 at the time you submit your DV entry.
- **EDUCATION:** You **MUST** have one of these things to qualify for the DV:
  - An ESLCE with **FIVE** passing grades (A-D) or 20+ points per grade;
  - Completion of 10th grade, plus two or more years of vocational school;
  - Graduation from an Ethiopian Military School.

**Do NOT apply for the DV if you don't have the required education or two years of relevant work experience based on the U.S. Department of Labor's Occupational Skills List found at <http://online.onetcenter.org>**
- **E-MAIL:** The U.S. Government will **NEVER** contact you via e-mail to say that you have won the DV. You will **ONLY** receive this information in the mail. **All e-mail notifications are fraudulent!**
- **DOCUMENTS:** **DO NOT** submit fake documents to the U.S. Embassy! Fake documents **WILL** automatically disqualify you.

*DV2008 registration is open from October 4, 2006 to December 3, 2006*  
You can register **AT NO CHARGE** at <http://www.dvlottery.state.gov>

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